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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of:

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For: METHODS OF ENHANCING  
SPLP-MEDIATED TRANSFECTION  
USING ENDOSOMAL MEMBRANE  
DESTABILIZERS

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**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 4 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 15 of this paper.